

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
REQUEST FOR FILING APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)  
**WITHOUT FILING FEE AND/OR WITHOUT EXECUTED INVENTOR'S DECLARATION**

**Mail Stop Patent Application**

Commissioner for Patents  
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This is a request for filing a new PATENT APPLICATION under Rule 53(b) entitled:

**INTEGRATED ELECTROMECHANICAL SWITCH  
AND TUNABLE CAPACITOR AND METHOD OF MAKING THE SAME**

without a filing fee and/or without an executed inventor's oath/declaration.  
This application is made by the below identified inventor(s). Attached hereto are the following papers:

- ☐ Newly executed Declaration, ☒ Copy of Declaration from prior application, ☒ Abstract  
☐ Please delete the following inventors in the continuation/division/continuation-in-part application:  
**Deleted persons:**

24 pages of specification and claims (including 42 numbered claims), and  
13 sheets of accompanying drawing/s.

☐ Attached is a Power of Attorney.

☐ Priority is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based on the following foreign applications:

**Application Number**

**Country**

**Day/Month/Year Filed**

, respectively, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application..

☐ Certified copy(ies) of foreign application(s) is/are attached.

☒ Certified copy(ies) filed on \_\_\_\_\_ in prior application No. \_\_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_\_

☒ This application claims the benefit of Provisional Application No. 60/291,423, filed May 18, 2001, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application..

☒ This application is a ☐ continuation/☒ division/☐ continuation-in-part of Application No. 10/147,300, filed May 17, 2002, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application..

☐ Petition filed in prior application to extend its life to insure co-pendency.

☒ The prior application is assigned to Corporation for National Research Initiatives, Reston, VA

☐ It is hereby requested that the Examiner consider the art cited in the above parent application(s) by applicant and/or the Examiner for the reasons stated therein. A listing of that art is attached, but pursuant to Rule 98(d) copies are not required.

☒ Applicant claims "small entity" status. ☐ "Small entity" statement attached.

☒ Please enter the attached and/or below preliminary amendment prior to calculation of filing fee:

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☐ See attached sheet(s) for additional inventor(s) information!!

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